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File No. 11—23
Serial Nos. 80, 81, 82, 94 & 99.

Later references.

Proceedings

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Five (5)

Part B for Oct. 1924

SUBJECT

Request for permission to edit, print & publish an "Anglo-vernacular Bi-weekly News Paper under the title "Praja Sevak".

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99 To. Mr K. Krishna Rao.
C/o. Mr P. Krishna Rao.
Santhepet,
Mysore.

No. 2267/- & 20-9-1924.

States that Govt regret that the permission asked for cannot be granted.—

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | P P File No. 11 of 1923

Serial No.	
80	From Sri. H. Sreshnarao etc Sri. P. Sreshnarao Santhapet Mysore dt 22.4.1924 Requests permission to edit, print and publish an "Anglo vernacular Bi weekly news paper under the title "Praja Sevak" Submd with 2 bks. Jm. G. 23.4.24 Mysore Jme Only 23/4
81	Do Sri D.M. Mysore dt D.O. No G 140 22 dt 24.4.1924 Calls for a report through the S.P. of Police on the character and antecedents of Sri. H. Sreshnarao
Do	Sri S.P. of Police No G 140 23 dt 24.4.1924 Forwards copy of the above
82	Do Sri. H. Sreshnarao. No G 140 24 dt 24.4.1924 States that the matter will receive attention.

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General and Revenue Secretariat | T.P. File No. 11 of 1923.

Serial No. 94

From

The D.G. of Police.

No. C2264 M 5/8/24

Forwarding the opinion of the Asst. Magistrate Mysore West, called for vide 80.

Subd for orders.

The West Magistrate is not in favour of the permission asked for being granted.

In this connection kind reference is invited to paras 9 and 18 of the Rules on T.P. file 11-22 (Sls 60 etc) pending with us.

9/ G. 8/8 The permission requested may be refused.

DEWAN'S OFFICE,
RECD. ON 18. AUG. 1924
Reg. No. 1275

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(in pencil) — "I & Secy 13/8

comment marked

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the note need be passed all ~~through the~~ the Press bill ~~is~~ passed when no permission to ~~publish~~ and the papers will be necessary.

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May be refused
House Keeping Secy 14/8

Serial No.	
	Submitted for approval to ~~Member~~. Papers may be circulated to all members 25/5 circulated 26/8 Papers returned by Dewan 27/8 Submitted to Member for approval to 29/8
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1969 30/5	~~Discussed~~ I am sorry I cannot agree. I would request a discussion in Council 30/5 Papers ~~Returned~~ may be placed in the agenda for the next meeting 3/8 Yes I.G. may place in agenda for 4/9 4/9

elected in Council on 4/9/24.

(For Disposal by Circulation.)
(at a Meeting)

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Council Matter.

SUBJECT.

Application of Mr. K. Krishna Rao for permission to edit, print and publish an Anglo-Vernacular bi-weekly called "Praja Seva"

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

26th August ..... 1924.

Extraordinary Member of Council.

First Member of Council.

Second Member of Council. 27/8

Third Member of Council.

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Extract from the Proceedings of the 708th *Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at Bangalore on the* 4th September 1924. *19*

40. Subject. - Clause xvi of the schedule.

Application of Mr. K. Krishna Rao for permission to edit and publish a bi-weekly named "Praja Sevak

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

Permission may be refused.

(Signed) A. R. BANERJI,

Dewan of Mysore.

"EXTRACT"

Submit to Hon'ble Member for final note.
5/9/24

Chief Secretary to Government.

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WD 1471—GPB—2,000—1-3-21

Final Note signed by the Member is placed in the file.
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Remarks, permission under
Memorandum is a amended
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Final Note by the First Member of Council.

Subject:—

Application of Mr. K. Krishna Rao for permission to edit and publish a bi-weekly named " PRAJA SEVAK

Mr. K. Krishna Rao residing in Santhepet, Mysore, has applied for permission to edit, print and publish an Anglo-Vernacular Bi-weekly Newspaper under the title ' PRAJA SEVAK '. A report having been called for as to the antecedents of the applicant, the District Magistrate, Mysore, has reported that Mr. Krishna Rao is a native of the South Canara District and a student of the II Year B.A. Class in the Maharaja's College, Mysore and that his object in editing the newspaper is to find funds for his educational career as he has no other means. He is of opinion that, being yet a student, the applicant does not appear to possess the capacity and experience necessary to take up the responsibility of conducting a newspaper.

Page 2 of office Notes

I was of opinion that since under the proposed Newspaper Bill no permission for starting a newspaper was needed, the passing of orders in the case might be deferred, till the Bill was passed. The Dewan however considered that permission might be refused, as there was no use keeping the application pending.

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The question was considered at the last meeting of the Council and the Council are of opinion that 'permission may be refused'.

The opinion of the Council may be graciously approved.

Bangalore,
th September 1924.

MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Submitted to His Highness.

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I submit herewith a Final Note by the...FIRST.....

Member of Council on the subject of.....application of

Mr. K. Krishna Rao for permission to edit and publish

a bi-weekly named " Praja Sevak "

for His Highness' gracious approval.

Dewan.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Application of Mr. K. Krishna Rao, Nizade, for permission to edit and publish a bi-weekly named "Praja Sevak."

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31. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may, in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Members of Council for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Members.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Members of Council at headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to the Members of Council for perusal of His Highness' orders $\frac{\text{before}}{\text{after}}$ issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure.)

Chief Secretary to Govt. 7/9

Through the Secretary to Government.

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THIRD MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Asst Secy. G.A.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Serial No.	
	Urgent file 24/1
	2/ 19/9 Rec 19.9. Issue 21/9/19
99	To Mr. M. Krishna Rao, etc. Mr. P. Krishna Rao, Santhapet, Mysore.
	No 92264 dt 20.9.19
	States that Govt regret that the permission asked for cannot be granted.
	21/9/19

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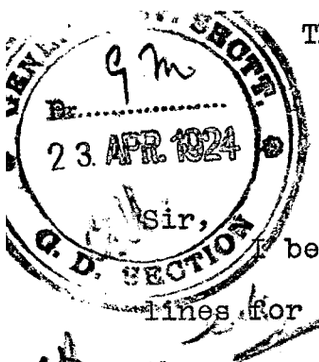

The Chief Secretary,

Government of Mysore,

Bangalore.

Sir,

I beg to take this opportunity of addressing the following few lines for your generous perusal. The contents of my letter are briefly these.

I have thought of launching an "Anglow-Vernacular Bi-Weekly News paper" in the metropolis (Mysore) under the title " Praja Sevak" for which, Sir, your kind permission is urgently needed. The need for such a paper as the above, I think, is very urgent and that for the following reasons :-

You will agree with me when I say that the advent of the New Reform Scheme, which His Highness the Maharaja has graciously conferred on His subjects mark an epoch-making period in the annals of the History of the Progressive State of Mysore. But one sad feature that one can notice is, that the people are still divided among themselves into hostile camps forgetting the utility of that unity which is so essenti to utilize the Reforms to the fullest extent. The existing papers here I am grieved to say, are engaged in a communal warfare which further widen the gulf that is already existing between the various sections c the people instead of bridging over the gulf. Seeing these things I ha come to the conclusion that an impartial paper alone is able to eradicate the existing evils. Through the medium of my " Praja Sevak" I hope not only to bring (comparitively in a short time) a closer unity among the various sections of the people but also a better understanding between the Government and the people. So, Sir, I again request yo to grant me permission to begin the publication of the paper at an ea date. In this,I believe,I will not be disappointed. Earnestly hoping f an early and favourable reply,

I remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient and humble servant,

K. Krishna Rao.

C/O P. Krishna Rao, Santhepet,

M Y S O R E.

Mysore.

Dated 22nd April 1924.

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Confidential. P.P. 11-23-81

General & Revenue Secretariat,

Bangalore, 24.4.1924

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Dear Sir,

I am desired to request you to kindly furnish Government with a confidential report on the character and antecedents of one Mr. M. Srinivasa Rao, s/o Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, Sanchalpet, Mysore

who has applied for permission under the Mysore Newspapers Regulation, III of 1908, to edit, print and publish an "Anglo-Vernacular Bi-weekly newspaper" ~~entitled "Praja Sevak"~~ entitled "Praja Sevak"

2. *I am to request that, instead of, or in addition to, any enquiry by the Superintendent of Police or other subordinate officers, you may send for the applicant and personally interview him so that you may be able to form an idea of the merits or defects of the applicant and so that any misstatements in other reports may have a chance of being corrected.*

3. *An early reply is requested.*

Yours sincerely,

Clerk 23/4
for ch secy to Govt

To

The D.C. Mysore Dist.

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copies to the S.P. & Police for information

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By order

Clerk 23/4
for ch secy to Govt

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Diary No. of letter replied to .....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 24.4.24

Signed by Mr. C.S.K

Section P.P

File No. 11-23

Serial No. 82

No. G/14024

To

Sri. S. Srinivasa Rao

S/o Sri P. Srinivasa Rao

Santhepet, Mysore

Sir

With ref to your application dt 22.4.1924 requesting permission to start an "Anglo vernacular Bi weekly newspaper ~~under the title~~ G/1960 "Praja Seva" I am directed to state that the matter will receive attention

~~over.~~

I have the honour to be Sir Your obedient servant

for Chief Secretary

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No. C 2264 81 Office of the
23 Inspector General of Police in Mysore,
Dated Bangalore, the 4th August 1924

From

P.F.Bowring,Esq., J.P.,
Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

P.P 11-23-94

To

K. Matthan, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysor

Sir,

With reference to your memo No.14023 dated 24t
re: the grant of permission to one K.Krishna Rao to edit,print and publish an Anglo-Vernacular Bi-weekl newspaper styled "Praja Sevak", I have the honor to forward herewith in original D.O.No.D2 Dis.51/J1. 14-25 dated 25th July 1924 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore, expressing his inability to recommend the grant of the permission applied for.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Inspector General of Police.

CONFIDENTIAL.

No. D.O.

Office of the District Magistrate,
Mysore District.
Dated, Mysore, 22nd July 1924.

Dear Sir,

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29.7.24

With reference to your D.O. letter No.G.14022/P.P. 11-23-81 dated the 24th April 1924, requesting me to submit a confidential report on the character and antecedents of Mr. K. Krishna Rao, C/O Mr. P. Krishna Rao, Santhepet, Mysore, who has applied for permission under the Mysore News Papers Regulation III of 1908 to edit and publish an Anglo-Vernacular Bi-weekly Newspaper styled "Praja Sevak", I beg to state that from the report of the Assistant Superintendent of Police, Mysore City and from my personal interview the following particulars are ascertained ---

Mr. K. Krishna Rao is a native of the South Canara District and a student in the II year B.A. Class in the Maharaja's College, Mysore, and is stopping with his brother-in-law Mr. P. Krishna Rao, Proprietor of a Coffee Club in Santhepet. In 1923 he published a pamphlet " [illegible] " and his object in editing the "Prajasevak" is stated to be to find funds for his educational career as he has no other means.

Mr. K. Krishna Rao being yet a student did not appear to me to possess the capacity and experience to take up the responsibility of conducting a news-paper, continuing his studies at the same time. He himself admitted that if the editing of the paper interfered in any way with his studies, he will have to entrust the work to some one else.

In these circumstances, I feel I am unable to recommend the grant of the permission applied for.

Yours sincerely,

D. Ramaswamy Iyer

To

K. Matthan, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Govt.,

Through The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

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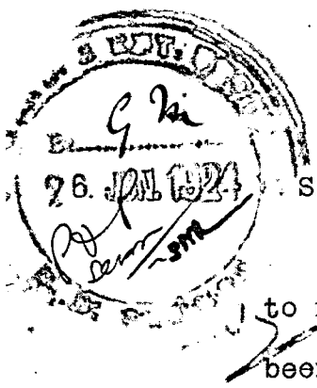
To

The Chief Secretary,

Government of Mysore,

Bangalore.



Sir,

I have the honour to invite your kind attentic to my reminder dated 25-5-24 and to state that no reply has been given as yet. Though it was my intention to have starte the newspaper before the Birthday session of the Representat Assembly, I was not given an opportunity. As I have sufficien waited for the last 2 months, in anticipation of your sanctic I am going to start the paper.

However, I hope that you will reply by the re turn of post as the matter is very urgent.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

K. Krishna Rao

C/O

P. Krishna Rao,

Dated 30th June 1924.

Santhepet,

Mysore.

M y s o r e.

Report from the D.C. Mysore is awaited. He has been again reminded on the 25th inst.

A draft reply to the petition is put up for perusal before issue

Chief Secy. 27/6

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Issued No 9 15668 dt 30.6.24

Issued No 9 15668 dt 30.6.24

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation sheet draft form.*)

To
Shri P. Krishna Rao
c/o Shri P. Krishna Rao
Sandhipet
Mysore.

Sir,

G. 1565-9 dt 30-6-24.

(Sd.) M. C. S. K.

With reference to your application dated the 25th June 1924, regarding the grant of permission to edit, print & publish a bi-weekly newspaper, styled "Praja Sevak", I am directed to state that your application is under consideration of Govt. and that their order in the matter shall be communicated. (I am to add that the paper should not be started in anticipation of sanction.)

I have &c.

Secy.

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For Chief Secy.

S.R.

(a circular with marks to you in reference to the rule. Copy of rule. Please send your statement that the proposed daily newspaper is anticipated, and also the security fee. Your newspaper Registration will not be issued while no newspaper shall be published.)

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation sheet draft form.*)

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To The M. Kris:
C/o Mrs P. Krishnaraj
Sankapet
Mysore

Sir,

With reference to your application dated 22nd April 1924, requesting permission to edit and publish a bi-weekly named "Praja Sevak", I am directed to state that Government regret that the permission asked for cannot be granted.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
for Chief Secretary.

G 2263 & 20.9.24.

WD 2230—GPB—1,00,000—23-7-20